

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA. 95814



June 5, 1984

ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 84-58

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: IHSS Emergency Regulations/Augmentations

REFERENCE: Miller vs. Woods and Community Services Center for the Disabled vs. Woods

All-County Information Notice I-37-84, dated April 17, 1984, notified counties of the status of the lawsuit and the Department's intent to process emergency regulations deleting MPP Sections 30-763.233c. MPP 30-763.233c precluded In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) payments for protective supervision when a housemate is in the home.

The attached emergency regulations, filed on May 30, 1984, require payment to housemate providers of recipients who are in need of protective supervision. All current IHSS cases are to be reviewed to identify potentially eligible recipients and to determine if a housemate is providing the service without compensation.


To aid in the case review process, counties will receive a computer-generated listing which matches addresses of recipients and Individual Providers. The listing also identifies matched address cases which are at maximum grant. The listing is not a substitute for the case review because it does not identify all potentially eligible cases. The listing can be used to develop a Master Case Review Summary for purposes of recordkeeping and verification that all current cases were reviewed.

When authorizing additional hours for protective supervision based on the emergency regulations, counties must use Reason Code 200. This reason code will generate a separate listing of cases, hours and dollars associated with the court decision. An optional reason code (Code 300) may be used to identify housemate/protective supervision cases which are terminated/discontinued pending the final court order on retroactive payments.

Emergency regulations impose a May 1, 1984 implementation date. When making the underpayment adjustment for May, counties should use code 9 on the SOC 312.

Attached are the supplemental allocations for the administrative expenses and program costs incurred during the implementation of these provisions. The attached augmentations for IHSS administration (Social Services Block Grant) and program costs amount to \$1,123,000 and \$2,958,889 respectively. The program amount includes both 90% State and 10% county funds. These funds are only available for expenditures incurred during FY 1983/84. Both supplemental allocations were computed based on each county's portion of the statewide cases reported on the SOC 296 for the October-December 1983 quarter.

If you have any questions regarding the allocation, please call County Administrative Expense Control Bureau at (916) 322-5802. Questions regarding implementation of the Miller vs. Woods regulations should be directed to your Adult and Family Services Program Operations consultant at (916) 322-6671.


LOREN D. SUTER
Deputy Director
Adult and Family Services

Attachment

cc: CDWA

SERVICES BLOCK

GRANT ALLOC.

TOTAL FUNDS

IHSS PROGRAM

90/10 FUNDS

Alameda	38,118	100,439
Alpine	100	200
Amador	894	2,355
Butte	9,518	25,078
Calaveras	1,149	3,027
Colusa	459	1,210
Contra Costa	29,640	78,098
Del Norte	545	1,435
El Dorado	3,036	8,000
Fresno	42,204	111,205
Glenn	1,573	4,145
Humboldt	6,044	15,924
Imperial	4,598	12,116
Inyo	640	1,686
Kern	12,646	33,321
Kings	3,255	8,577
Lake	4,319	11,379
Lassen	1,170	3,083
Los Angeles	455,174	1,199,343
Madera	4,181	11,018
Marin	6,019	15,859
Mariposa	459	1,210
Mendocino	4,219	11,119
Merced	7,701	20,294
Modoc	280	737
Mono	100	204
Monterey	8,949	23,581
Napa	2,901	7,645
Nevada	2,322	6,119
Orange	38,582	101,658
Placer	7,514	19,800
Plumas	874	2,299
Riverside	38,115	100,430
Sacramento	26,416	69,603
San Benito	880	2,320
San Bernardino	46,007	121,223
San Diego	72,504	191,043
San Francisco	55,493	146,221
San Joaquin	17,046	44,916
San Luis Obispo	3,899	8,429
San Mateo	13,685	35,061
Santa Barbara	10,267	27,054
Santa Clara	33,955	89,468
Santa Cruz	9,790	25,797
Shasta	5,019	13,225
Sierra	176	465
Siskiyou	1,322	3,482
Solano	8,603	22,667
Sonoma	13,084	34,475
Stanislaus	18,894	49,786
Sutter	2,544	6,704
Tehama	2,870	7,562
Trinity	244	642
Tulare	25,926	68,310
Tuolumne	1,679	4,423
Ventura	8,546	22,519
Yolo	3,050	8,036
Yuba	4,503	11,864
Total	1,123,000	2,958,889